

OUR NINE OF DIAMONDS.

THE PERSONNEL OF TORONTO'S BASEBALL TEAM.

Who They Are and Where They Come From—Proposed Reception to Manian—The Clippers Badly Clip the Primroses.

After over a fortnight of diligent and difficult work the officers and committees of the Toronto baseball association have got together a team that ought to give a good account of itself in the Canadian league matches. Ten men have been engaged for the team, with Harry Spence, who has been so long on the diamond that he may be justly termed a veteran, as manager. The players have been practising on the Jarvis street grounds for several days and show up in good form, although in the first few league games they will be under the disadvantage of not having had as much team experience as their competitors.

Without commenting upon the relative merits of the members it might not be amiss to give a brief pedigree of each.

Harry Spence, the manager and third baseman, has played ball since he was knee high, graduating without error from the old Maple Leafs. He afterwards did good work at New Haven, Conn.; Columbus, Ohio, and Springfield, Mass. Coming here in 1881, he played third base for the Torontos, and made a large number of friends, as much by his gentlemanly deportment as his first class ball. Since leaving here Mr. Spence has been consecutively connected with the Brooklyn Atlantics, the Baltimore eastern league team and the Saginaw, Mich., nine, whom he led to victory in the Northwestern league last season. This year he fluds himself among his old friends and admirers, and if he acquits himself as well in the future as he has done in the past, they will be more than satisfied.

Theodore Sheffer comes from New York city with a good record. He first came into notice in the Arlingtons, and last year he pitched for the Monitors, a semi-professional Gotham club only second to the Metropolitans. Sheffer has all the curves and great speed.

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Frank Smith originally hails from Font-hill, Welland county, but has been playing in different places on the other side. In the Saginaws last year he ably supported Clarkeon, now doing such wonderful pitching for the Chicagos. A specialty with Smith is his accurate throwing.

Thomas O'Rourke is a New York man, having been connected with several amateur and semi-professional clubs in that city. He is credited with being safe behind the bat. He and Sheffer make a strong battery.

Another Canadian representative is found in the person of Jack Quinn, who made his debut with no little success at London, and afterwards played with the St. Thomas Atlantics. Last year he was known as the puzzling left hand pitcher of the Saginaws.

Fred Macklin needs no introduction to the lovers of the game in Toronto or other Canadian cities. Everything he does on the ball field is clean and accurate, and he can hit as hard as the next one. Macklin will preside over first base, where he will undoubtedly give a satisfactory account of himself.

Another Torontonian who comes to the front is Jim McKinley. He commenced the ball business at the age of five and has played ever since. Some years ago the boys who frequented Queen's park annually elected a leader who was honored with the title of mayor. Jim discharged the duties of this office for a year in a highly efficient and honorable manner, and organized a Park nine that could clean out anything that came along. Last year he did good work for the Torontos, and this season he is playing in splendid form, his position being short stop.

W. A. Reid is an old London boy, well known here. He has played at London, Guelph, Detroit, Minneapolis, Pittsburg with no little success, and started in this season with the Cleveland western league team, but left on account of its financial failure. Reid's stronghold is second base.

Wm. Wade played left field for a Jersey City team last season, and was for a short time with the Monitors of New York this season.

Dan Delaney completes the team as tenth man. He is Toronto bred and born, and has done efficient work in the pitcher's box, besides being noted for hard hitting and a fine fielder.

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The Jarvis street grounds are in splendid condition. The diamond has been laid out at the south end, with the battery right under the grand stand, from which an excellent view of a match can be had. The players will be in caps, shirts and pants of gray, the stockings, belts and trimmings being of dark navy blue. This makes a pretty uniform. The nine will play its first match with the Maple Leafs at Guelph to-morrow. A large number of citizens will accompany them. Arrangement has been made with the railways for tickets for this and all future trips at one and a third fare, all members of the club to have the benefit of this reduction. The team goes from the royal city to Hamilton where they will play the Primroses Thursday afternoon. Their first match at home will be with the Maple Leafs Saturday afternoon next.

Toronto World - June 9, 1885

DEBUT OF THE TORONTOS.

BEATEN BY ONE RUN IN A TWELVE INNINGS GAME.

The Luck of the Leafs—An Exciting Watch at Cricket—Hazing at Brighton Beach—Boyd Replies to Sullivan.

GUELPH, Ont., June 10.—The newly organized Toronto base ball team played their first game here to-day. Their opponents were the Maple Leafs. To-day's game ranks with the great fourteen innings game played between the Maple Leafs and Clippers, Hamilton, in which the Leafs were victors. They played a similar game to-day and came out ahead of the Torontos after twelve innings by a score of 3 to 2. The Torontos are all good batters, Smith proving the heaviest to-day, he having three hits with a total of five bases. The whole team batted well and only the sharp fielding of the Leafs prevented run getting. Their batting was very effective,

the Leafs making only four hits off Sheffer, who was well supported by O'Rourke behind the bat. Their fielding was sharp, but characterized by some bad throws, Spence coming in for his share. Taken altogether, the team is a first class one, and should be at or near the head of the league at the end of the season. The Leafs presented a new pitcher to-day in Farrell, of Woodstock. He pitched a fine game, and was splendidly supported behind the bat by Kurvis. This was Farrell's first game with the Leafs, and the heavy batters of the Torontos made only seven hits off him. Dyson played in the field. The whole nine played a sharp fielding game, but were weak at the bat. The following is the score in full:

Maple Leafs	a.b.	r.	h.	b.	p.o.	a.	e.
Maddock c.....	5	0	1	1	3	3	1
Atkinson 1b.....	5	0	0	0	15	1	1
Furvis p.....	5	0	0	0	0	9	6
Smith l.f.....	5	0	1	2	10	0	2
Dryden r.f.....	5	0	1	1	1	0	2
J. Hewer 3b.....	4	0	0	0	1	0	1
Cockman a.s.....	4	2	0	0	2	3	1
Bickers c.f.....	3	1	0	0	2	5	0
Total.....	40	3	4	5	38	23	14
Toronto	a.b.	r.	h.	b.	p.o.	a.	e.
Reid, 2b. and ss.....	4	0	1	1	1	3	0
O'Rourke, c.....	6	0	1	2	6	2	7
Wade, l.f.....	6	1	0	0	0	0	0
Smith, r.f.....	6	0	3	5	2	1	0
Spence, 3b. and 2b.....	5	0	0	0	3	3	3
Sheffler, p.....	6	0	1	1	2	9	6
McKinley, ss. and 3b.....	3	0	0	0	4	3	0
Quinn, c.f.....	5	0	0	0	1	0	1
Macklin, 1b.....	5	1	1	1	15	0	1
Total.....	46	2	7	10	34	21	18
Maple Leafs.....	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Torontos.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
First base on called balls—Leafs 5, Torontos 3.							
Struck out—Leafs 3, Torontos 4.							
Two base hits—Furvis, Smith (Torontos) 2, O'Rourke.							
Double plays—Atkinson to Hewer, Bickers to Maddock, McKinley to Spence.							
Time of game—2 hours and 15 minutes.							
Umpire—Joah. Wayper of Hespeler.							

Toronto World - June 11, 1885

WON BY TWELVE TO NINE.	
THE TORONTOS DEFEAT THE HAMILTON PRIMROSES.	
Hamilton's Return Home—His Opinions of the Australians and His Future Intentions — The First Day at Coney Island.	
HAMILTON, June 11.—About 500 people witnessed the league game between the Torontos and Primroses this afternoon. It was extremely warm during the first half of the match, which had the effect of enervating both clubs. The Torontos presented a fine appearance in their grey suits. They are nearly all heavier men than the Primroses, and considering it was their second match this season they played well together. Quinn, who pitched for the first three games, is a left-hander and did splendid work while his arm held out. In the third innings his delivery became wild and he then played centre field. Sheffler took the pitcher's box, but was not long there before he was succeeded by McKinley who, though wild at first, did some splendid work in the last four innings. The catching was done by Smith and O'Rourke. Tip O'Neil as catcher for the Prims did splendid work, as also did Jones, their first baseman. At the bat the home team was	

rather light there being very few good basehits made; Miller, however, in a way, kept up the prestige of the team by scoring a home run. The home club led until the eighth innings when the visitors piled up 7 runs by hard hitting and getting the Prims rattled. The result was 12 to 9 in favor of the Torontos. Charles Maddock umpired.

TORONTOS	a.b.	r.	h.	b.	p.o.	a.	e.
Reid, ss.....	4	2	1	1	0	2	1
O'Rourke, r.f. and c.....	4	1	0	0	2	0	2
Smith, c. and r.f.....	5	0	1	2	9	1	6
Macklin, 1b.....	4	2	1	1	12	0	0
Wade, l.f.....	5	1	0	0	2	0	0
Spence, 2b.....	4	3	0	0	1	2	1
Sheffler, p. c.f. & 3b.....	5	1	1	1	0	4	3
Quinn, p and c.f.....	4	1	0	0	1	6	2
McKinley, 3b. and p.....	3	1	0	0	0	8	2
Total.....	38	12	4	5	27	23	17
PRIMROSES	a.b.	r.	h.	b.	p.o.	a.	e.
O'Neil, c.....	5	2	2	2	6	1	10
Williams, a.s.....	5	2	1	1	0	1	1
Wilson, l.f.....	5	2	2	2	0	0	2
Jones, 1b.....	5	0	0	0	11	0	0
Miller, c.f.....	4	2	1	5	2	0	0
Bennett, 3b.....	5	0	2	3	1	3	3
Harnfather, r.f.....	5	1	1	1	2	1	0
Paullin, 3b.....	3	0	0	0	4	1	1
Young, p.....	4	0	0	0	1	9	5
Total.....	41	9	9	13	27	16	21
Torontos.....	1	0	0	1	3	0	12
Primroses.....	0	0	1	2	1	0	9
Earned runs: Primroses 3, Toronto 9.							
Called balls: Off Young 21, off Quinn 22, off Sheffler 21, off McKinley 31.							
Passed balls: O'Neil 5, Smith 4, O'Rourke 2.							
Wild pitches: Sheffler 1, McKinley 2.							
Struck out: Primroses 10, Torontos 4.							
Left on bases: Primroses 5, Torontos 3.							
Two base hits: Bennett (Primroses), Smith.							
Home run: Miller.							
First base on balls: Primroses 2, Torontos 5.							
Time of game: 2 hours and 25 minutes.							

Toronto World - June 12, 1885

The Torontos' Second Victory.

A glorious day with the heat of the sun tempered by a refreshing westerly breeze, and the opportunity of seeing the first championship baseball match in Toronto this season, attracted between two and three thousand people to the Jarvis street grounds on Saturday afternoon. His honor the lieutenant-governor occupied a specially reserved box in the centre of the stand along with Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Cox and appeared to take the utmost interest in the game.

Punctually at the advertised time the loss of a copper decided who should take the bat first, and the lot falling to the Torontos, Farrell, the Guelph pitcher, was almost instantaneously sending in a shooter to Reid, who had the honor of opening out with the club. But one run was the outcome of the innings. Reid took first on called balls, stole second, went to third on a fly to centre muffed by Bickers and crossed the plate on a passed ball. Guelph's first was more productive. Maddock got first on balls, Purvis hit to right fence, Smith threw in to McKinley at third, who failed to get it and Maddock got home. Macklin missed Atkinson at first and Purvis secured the second run for the Leafs. So far the Torontos had not figured well in the field, while the Guelph work had been clean and sharp. In the Toronto's second essay Delaney was retired while stealing second, Spence was collared running in and Sheffield was taken at first.

Guelph added one and the score stood three to one. An enthusiastic graduate from the Royal city became elated and offered 20 to 10. It was taken with the rapidity that characterizes the closing of the shark's jaws on its prey. McKinley fielded a hot 'un from Bickers and Macklin being equally alert the Guelph centre fielder retired. The third innings was a whitewash for each. O'Rourke got third on a beauty to left field and reaching home on a passed ball the Torontos added one on their fourth innings. Hower did some capital fielding. Guelph again failed to score. The fifth yielded nothing for either club. When the sixth opened the tally stood 3 to 2 in favor of the visitors. McKinley took first on balls, Reid followed suit, O'Rourke went out on a tip to Atkinson, Smith took his base, and McKinley journeyed home on a catcher's error. Macklin hit a fly to Dyson, which he cleverly declined to refuse, and Delaney struck out. Guelph took a back seat in one, two, three order, and the seventh innings opened with three all. Now the Torontos made a stand and our friends from the west looked sick. Spence commenced with a handy skyer to left which

Ross failed to hold. Sheffield and Quinn each took first on balls and the bases were all occupied. Spence and Sheffield each came in on passed balls and McKinley was given first. Reid did the same, and the Guelph captain imagined he had had about enough of Mr. Farrell in the box, so he put that gentleman back to right field, rather apparently to his chagrin, and Dyson took his place. O'Rourke got to first on a clipper, Quinn being put out coming home. McKinley shared the same fate, but Macklin came to the rescue with a teaser heavenward and Reid and O'Rourke safely reached the plate. Delaney struck out. Score—Torontos 7, Leafs 3. The tables had turned. Three to one went begging on the home men after the Guelphites had been relegated without troubling the scorers, and McKinley and Macklin had distinguished themselves by the smartest field work of the day, Reid also coming in for a share of the honors. The eighth innings yielded one to each. Spence hit to short-stop and his career was nipped. Sheffield followed with a daisy three-bagger right, or rather left, to the northern fence. Quinn was given first and stole second and third, while Sheffield arrived home on a passed ball, which knocked Catcher Ross' thumb out of joint. Smith, with the air of a veteran, endeavored to replace the displaced joint, but a surgeon had to be called on, and Dr. Gullen responding did the job with a little scientific pulling and pressing, which Ross bore without wincing. The latter retired to his old place at right field and Purvis resumed the catching. McKinley was given his base and stole second. O'Rourke went out on a foul, and Smith ended the innings with an easy one after sending a couple of fouls over the east fence that endangered the windows of the neighboring houses. Purvis was the first to bat for the visitors, and gave up on a grand catch by Sheffield. Farrell got first, went

to second on a low throw by Reid to Macklin, stole third, and got a journey home on a pass. Atkinson went out at first, Ross got his base on a hit, and Hower capitulated on a fly handily taken by Reid. On their last with the bat the Toronto nine failed to add to their score, although Spence judged Dyson well and placed a good one to right. The Leafs ought up their tally to five. Dyson ended with a cracker on which he got

a second that looked ominous. Cockman sent forth a rasper but McKinley with his usual reliability held it. Bickers also tempted left field but it was capably stopped. Dyson, however, got home and Maddock and Bickers getting the goose the innings and the match both ended with the Torontos the victors.

As a whole the game can scarcely be pronounced first-class. The Torontos fielded loosely at the commencement, but picked up afterwards. On the other hand the Guelph nine did their work neatly at the start but subsequently went rather to pieces. The home men, however, played Farrell, who was evidently stiff from previous work, judiciously. Hower and Cockman were prominent in the field for the losers and well earned the plaudits they received. For Toronto Sheffield played in splendid form throughout, his pitching of the whole nine innings, with the exception possibly of a little to the last, being admirable. But the gratification of the whole match was to see the way McKinley and Macklin, the two Torontonians, came to the fore, the former at third and the latter at first making several excellent bits of play. O'Rourke and Reid also rendered capital service. Manager Spence was naturally elated over the success of his nine and he has good cause to be, for they have not only proved to be judiciously selected but give good ground for expecting that the pennant will belong to Toronto in October.

October.									
Torontos.									
Reid, ss.	5	2	1	1	3	0	0	0	0
O'Rourke, c.	5	2	1	6	2	5	0	0	0
Smith, r.f.	5	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
Macklin, l.b.	5	0	1	14	0	1	0	0	0
Delaney, l.f.	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spence, 2 b.	5	1	2	3	1	0	0	0	0
Sheffield, p.	5	2	2	1	11	5	0	0	0
Quinn, c.f.	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
McKinley, 3 b.	4	1	0	1	4	0	0	0	0
Total.	43	8	9	27	21	12	0	0	0
Maple Leafs.									
Maddock 2 b.	5	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	0
Purvis r.f. and c.	5	1	1	10	3	11	0	0	0
Farrell p. and l.f.	5	1	0	0	4	6	0	0	0
Atkinson l.b.	4	0	0	10	1	0	0	0	0
Ross r.f. and c.	4	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
Hower 3 b.	4	1	1	4	3	0	0	0	0
Dyson l.f. and p.	4	1	1	1	2	3	0	0	0
Cockman s.s.	4	0	1	0	0	4	0	0	0
Bickers c.f.	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Total.	39	5	4	27	18	23	0	0	0
Runs each inning.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Torontos	1	0	0	1	0	1	4	1	0
Maple Leafs	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	5
Runs earned: Toronto 7, Guelph 1.									
First base on errors: Toronto 9, Guelph 5.									
Struck out: Torontos 4, Guelph 6.									
First base on balls—Torontos 3, Guelph 3.									
Left on bases: Toronto 7, Guelph 4.									
Passed balls: Purvis 3, Ross 2, O'Rourke 1.									
Wild pitches: Sheffield 2, Farrell 1, Dyson 1.									
Three base hits: Torontos 2.									
Umpire—J. E. Thompson, of Woodstock.									
Time of game, 2 hrs., 10 mins.									

THE TORONTOS WIN AGAIN

GUELPH MAPLE LEAFS BEATEN BY 10 TO 5.

The Reception to Hamilton—Football To-Night by Electric Light—The Clippers Turn the Table on the Londoners.

The Maple Leafs of Guelph had beaten the Torontos once and the Torontos had beaten the Leafs once, it was therefore reasonable to expect that much interest would be taken in their third meeting. Expectation was not disappointed, for upwards of a thousand people—a good crowd for a Wednesday afternoon— assembled yesterday at the Jarvis street grounds. The Torontos won the toss and elected to go to bat. Their first innings yielded nothing. Reid, O'Rourke and Smith retiring in rapid succession. Guelph's first resulted in Maddock coming

Guelph's first resulted in Maddock coming home on a base hit by Dyson. Torontos' second dittoed their first, but the Leafs again tallied, thanks to the bad fielding of Spence and Reid. McKinley safely navigated the bases in the third innings of the Torontos, but the Leafs failed to score and the sum total was 2 to 1 in favor of the visitors. Jim Hewer's excellent work in the field was responsible for the 0 at the fourth attempt of the Torontos and Sheffler fairly claimed the credit for a similar exhibit by their opponents, the record being J. Hewer a fly to Sheffler, W. Smith a hot one well fielded by Sheffler and Cockman struck out. A splendid report for the Toronto pitcher, but it didn't stop here, for being at the bat on the fifth innings he sent a three-bagger to the left and got home on a badly-fielded one to right from Reid. The latter stole second and reached the plate on a bee liner between bases. O'Rourke. Score 3 to 2 in favor of Torontos. Guelph stock was not in the ascendant, although money was not seemingly abundant to back the home men. The Leafs again made no show and the next innings proving barren on both sides the seventh opened with the score unchanged.

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Torontos.									
Reid, s.s.	5	2	2	1	1	3			
O'Rourke, c.	5	0	1	4	2	4			
Smith, r.f.	5	1	0	0	0	0			
Macklin, l.b.	4	1	1	14	1	0			
Delaney, l.f.	5	0	0	1	0	1			
Spence, 2 b.	5	1	1	1	5	1			
Sheffler, p.	5	3	2	2	1	0			
Quinn, c.f.	5	1	2	2	1	0			
McKinley, 3 b.	4	1	0	3	1	0			
Total	43	10	9	27	19	13			
Maple Leafs.									
Maddock 2 b.	4	2	1	4	1	2			
Purvis c.	4	0	2	4	1	5			
Dyson p.	5	0	14	1	0	0			
Atkinson l.b.	4	0	1	2	1	1			
J. Becker r.f.	4	0	0	3	2	0			
Hewer 3 b.	3	0	0	0	0	1			
W. Smith l.f.	3	3	0	1	4	2			
Cockman s.s.	4	0	0	0	0	1			
K. Hewer c.f.	4	1	0	0	0	1			
Total	36	5	7	27	13	16			

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Runs each inning.....	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Torontos	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	1	5
Maple Leafs.....	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	5
First base on errors: Toronto 9, Maple Leaf 6.									
First base on called balls: Toronto 3, Maple Leaf 3.									
Struck out: Toronto 4, Maple Leaf 4.									
Two base hits: Toronto 2, Maple Leaf 0.									
Three base hits: Toronto 2, Maple Leaf 0.									
Passed balls: Purvis 5, O'Rourke 1.									
Double plays: Spence, Reid and Macklin, and Quinn to Spence.									
Earned runs: Toronto 3.									
Time of game, 1 hr. and 45 mins.									
Umpire—W. W. Jeffers of Toronto.									
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The Torontos Win Again.

Four out of five is not a bad score and gives an excellent promise for the season. To-day, however, will tell the tale. If the Torontos beat the Clippers at Hamilton this afternoon it will be good even betting that the championship of the Canadian baseball league for 1885 will be held in this city. So far Manager Spence's nine have met what are considered in popular estimation the weakest team in the league, but should they get away with the Clippers to-day and the Londoners on Friday next they will not only reflect credit on themselves but also on Mr. Spence's judgment in engaging them. It is rather an exceptional thing for an entirely new team to be selected and no change be made in the first five matches, and speaks volumes for the manager's forethought. Unfortunately a change has to be made to-day. Quinn, a rattling good man when sound, is to be released, his arm failing him, and the pitcher of the Toledo, O., team is to take his place.

Yesterday upwards of a thousand people attended the Primrose-Toronto match on the Jarvis street ground and watched the play all the way through with the keenest interest. At the opening the wagering was in favor of the home men, but when at the end of the fifth innings the score stood Primroses 5, Torontos 3, and the latter had been white-washed four successive times there was a change and 15 to 10 on the Hamiltonians went abegging. However by bunching their hits and steady play the Torontos managed to get through and to tally ten to eight when the last man retired. As usual the home nine went first to the bat. Reid was caught running to second, O'Rourke made a safe hit, Smith, for a change, sent one of his window-smashers inside the line and O'Rourke scored. Macklin got his base on balls and Wade with a two-bagger brought home Smith and Macklin, retiring himself while going to third. Spence hit safely to left, but Sheffler, forced him out. O'Neil opened well for the Primroses with a two-base hit and reached the plate on a daisy by Wilson. Williams went out at first and Sheffler taking kindly to a flyer from Jones, threw to Macklin at first and Mr.

Wilson was also sent to the right about. Reid and O'Rourke got to the bases on fielders' errors in the Toronto second, but Quinn and Smith went out at first while McKinley, whose forte this year is not the bat, retired struck out. Miller of the Primroses hit a two-bagger and Bierbauer did likewise, bringing home the man of flour, but a second piece of double play resulted in Barnfather and Bierbauer speedily retiring, the former on a fly and the latter at a base. Macklin was too reliable to drop a fly that Heath was generous enough to send him. Macklin, Wade and Spence retired without reaching a base in the Toronto third. The Primroses added two more, thanks to O'Neil and Wilson, who appeared to have a good hold on Sheffler's pitching. Sheffler, Quinn and McKinley each went out at first in order, and Toronto faces looked blue. McKinley now went into the box and Smith behind the bat with excellent effect, the Primroses getting a goose-egg and nary a base. The Torontos in their fifth made a better show, but failed to increase their score, O'Rourke getting to third. Young of the Primroses went to first and finally arrived home on O'Rourke's bad throwing from third base. Now the Torontos gathered their garments together. Spence made a base hit,

Sheffler did the same, and Quinn followed suit with such admirable effect that the first two crossed the plate and he took second himself. Reid also got on to Young in style and Quinn scored. Six to five was the record when Miller of the Primroses walked to first on balls. Bierbauer and Barnfather took a back seat at first, while Mr. Maddock, the umpire, was good enough not to declare Miller out at the plate when everybody thought he was. Heath followed the example of the two B.s. Six all. Macklin hit Young for a dandy to left which but for a fall would have been a three bagger, but as it was kept him at second. Wade made his base, and then Spence made amends for some loose fielding by sending out a two bagger, which enabled Macklin and Wade to bring up at the plate. Spence himself came home on an overthrow of the shortstop Williams, and Sheffler let out to left with such right good will that he easily got to third. Quinn hit a safe one and Sheffler scored the fourth run of the innings. McKinley and Reid both struck out, Pitcher Young evidently having his mettle aroused by the pounding he had received. Ten to six was the tally, when Quinn secured first on a fly missed by Quinn. O'Neil maintained his reputation

at the bat by hitting one of McKinley's cannon balls near to the fence, bringing home Young and getting to second himself. Williams retired on a fly to right and Reid cleverly fielded a rasper from Wilson. Jones hit a grounder to centre and O'Neil for the third time reached the plate. Miller struck out. Each went out in one, two, three order in the eighth innings, and the ninth also proving a blank the Torontos were hailed as the victors by 10 to 8.

Neither Sheffler nor Young, the respective pitchers, were up to the mark and were freely hit, the change to McKinley by the Torontos in the 8th innings and to Wilson by the Primroses in the eighth proving beneficial in each instance. O'Neil's work behind the bat was clean and sharp, only one error being placed to

his credit. The manner in which Smith proved equal to McKinley's lightning delivery was at once the astonishment and admiration of the crowd. Wade and Sheffler did splendid work in the field, and Macklin at first proved himself as reliable as ever.

Torontos.	a. b. r. b. h. p. o. a. e.
Reid, s. a.	4 0 1 1 1 2 0 1
O'Rourke, c. and 3b.	5 1 3 1 1 1 1 2
Smith, r. f. and c.	4 1 1 1 5 3 1 1
Macklin, 1 b.	4 2 1 14 0 1
Wade, l. f. and r. f.	5 1 1 2 0 0 0 0
Spence, 3 b.	3 2 2 1 2 1 1
Sheffler, p. and c. f.	4 2 1 1 3 0 1
Quinn, c. f. and l. f.	5 1 1 1 1 0 1
McKinley, 3 b. and p.	4 0 0 1 6 1
Total	38 10 11 27 17 7
Primroses.	a. b. r. b. h. p. o. a. e.
O'Neil, c.	5 3 2 8 2 1
Williams, s. s.	5 0 0 1 5 2
Wilson, l. f. and p.	5 1 1 0 1 2
M. Jones, 1 b.	4 0 2 16 0 0
Miller, c. f. and l. f.	3 2 1 0 0 1
Bierbauer, 2 b.	4 0 0 2 4 1
Barnfather, r. f.	4 0 0 0 1 1
W. Heath, 3 b.	4 0 0 0 2 6
Young, p. and l. f.	4 2 2 0 4 6
Total	38 8 8 27 19 13

Runs by innings:
 Torontos..... 3 0 0 0 3 4 0 0—10
 Primroses..... 1 1 2 0 1 1 2 0—8
 Runs earned: Toronto 4, Primrose 2.
 Bases on called balls: Torontos 6, Primroses 2.
 First base on errors: Toronto 5, Primrose 5.
 Struck out: Toronto 4, Primrose 5.
 Double plays: Smith to Reid, Sheffler to Macklin.
 Two base hits: Reid, Wade, O'Neil, Miller.
 Three base hits: Smith.
 Time of game: 1 hour and 53 mins.
 Umpire: C. Maddock, Guelph.

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TORONTO'S THREE TEAMS.

TWO BEATEN AND THE THIRD THE VICTIM OF RAIN.

The Montrealers Beat the Ontarios and the Shamrocks the Torontos at Lacrosse and the Clipper-Toronto Base-ball Match is Drawn in the Middle of the Fifth Innings.

HAMILTON, June 20.—The two o'clock train had its full complement of sports, at least that portion of them which belong to the baseball fraternity. The gentlemen occupied the greater portion of the time which intervened between their arrival in the city and the hour when the game was called by betting on their favorite teams, odds being freely given in favor of the Clippers and as freely accepted by the Toronto men.

In the city, too, the match caused an unusual amount of excitement and talk. Some who were loudest in proclaiming a victory for the home team in the beginning of the week looked as though they had become doubtful as to the result since the Wood brothers had been released. Others who had become disgusted with the extraordinary conceit of the Woods said that the Clippers would score more victories without them and that they had no use for men who thought themselves such expert ball players that it was unnecessary to practice. The weather at the beginning of the game was splendid for play, there being no wind and the sun concealed by heavy clouds which portended rain ere long. Spence won the toss and the Torontos went to the bat. The Torontos opened out in splendid form, scoring two runs in the first innings. Andrus opened for the Clippers with a good base hit and was brought home by hits made by Chamberlain and Rainey in succession. It then looked as though the Clippers were going to bat McKinley without trouble. The next three men, however, were caught out by

three men, however, were caught out by Wade, Reid and Smith in consecutive order, leaving Chamberlain and Rainey on bases. Sheffler opened for the Torontos in the second. Five balls were called on Pitcher Chamberlain and two strikes on Sheffler. The next strike must tell and so it did, the man at the bat making a clever two-base hit. Quinn succeeded to the bat, knocked the ball to short stop Reid, who fielded to first in time to put Quinn out. McKinley followed and struck out. Then Reid, the heavy batter, took his stand over the plate, knocked a hot ball to Chamberlain and was put out on first. Kennedy and Pfann in commencing for the home team in the second knocked the ball to pitcher and third base respectively and were both put out without reaching first. Stapleton followed, got his base on ball, sneaked second, which was granted him, as earned by the decision of the umpire, though he was really put out by Spence. In attempting to make third he was touched by O'Rourke and forced to retire. O'Rourke and Smith opened the third for the Torontos by striking out. Macklin followed, knocking a warm felder to Chamberlain and was put out on first. Wade on left field caught flies from Andrus

and Chamberlain, the two best Clipper batters in the opening of the Clipper third. Rainey followed, but was put out by Stapleton at first, assisted by Chamberlain. The Torontos opened out strong in the fourth, Wade and Spence making base hits and Sheffler following with a three-bagger, which brought Wade and Spence over the plate. Quinn following, was flied out by Andrus. McKinley struck out and Reid failed to bat hard enough to reach first. Myers opened the Clippers' fourth by batting lightly and was put out by Macklin. McGra and Wilson, who followed, were flied out by O'Rourke and Spence respectively. Six men went to the bat in the Torontos fifth. Of these O'Rourke scored a run, Macklin and Sheffler struck out. Spence met his fate on first, leaving Smith and Wade on bases.

Then the Clippers took the bat for the fifth time. The appearance of the clouds was very threatening. They commenced well, Kennedy and Pfann making base hits. As Stapleton took the bat the rain came down and Umpire Maddock called the game. This drew forth hisses from the spectators, who did not seem to care for the slight rain that was falling. Had the game held out five minutes longer it must have inevitably fallen to the Torontos, for two slow men were on bases. Stapleton, who has not made much of a record as a striker, was at the bat, and Andrus, who followed him, is in the habit of knocking flies to left field, which Mr. Wade is ever ready to receive and hold.

It wasn't fair to the Torontos to call the game when they had really won the victory. Runs by innings: 1 2 3 4 5
 Torontos..... 2 0 0 1—5
 Clippers..... 1 0 0 0—1
 Errors: Torontos—Smith, Macklin, Spence and McKinley, 1 each; total 4. Clippers—Andrus, Chamberlain, Wilson, Kennedy 1 each, Rainey 3; total 7.
 First base on errors: Clippers 1, Torontos 1.
 Passed balls: Clippers 3, Torontos 0.
 Left on bases: Torontos 5, Clippers 2.
 Base hits: Torontos—Reid, O'Rourke and Spence 1 each, Wade, Smith and Sheffler 2 each; total 9. Clippers—Andrus, Chamberlain, Rainey, Kennedy and Pfann 1 each; total 5.
 Two-base hits: Torontos 2.
 Three-base hits: Sheffler (Torontos).
 Balls called: Off McKinley 40, off Chamberlain 41.
 Umpire: C. Maddock, Guelph.

A supporter of the Torontos says: "Chamberlain is a better pitcher than Pete Woods. Rainey is not so good a catcher as Jeff Woods. Toronto made a better striving against the Clippers than against any other team played so far this season, and should win easily on Monday as Stemmeyer, our new pitcher, will be here to-morrow, and in consequence our outfield (with Wade, Sheffler and O'Rourke) will be very much strengthened. Had Maddock, the umpire properly in-

terpreted the league rule as to rain, and compelled the Clippers to finish the fifth innings which could have been done in five minutes, the game would have been 5 to 1 in favor of Torontos. We had only two errors yesterday."

The manager of the Hamilton Clippers has fined Fred and Pete Woods \$15 each for insubordination.

R. W. Witherspoon of Hamilton has purchased Mr. Magill's (Toronto) yacht Idler for \$250.

It was perhaps lucky for the Primroses that their match with the Londons set for Saturday was prevented by rain, as several of them stayed over in Toronto Friday night and were anything but fit to play.

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THEIR WINGS CLIPPED.

HAMILTON'S PET BALL PLAYERS BEATEN BY TORONTO.

Six to Four the Score—Woodbine Shooting Tournament—Race Between Five Double Sculls—League Games—General Notes of Sports.

The one great feature of the Toronto Clipper match on the Jarvis street ground, yesterday afternoon was the magnificent pitching of Stemmeyer, who played for the first time with the home nine. It pleased Hamilton people to speak of him as "Stemwinder;" the experience of their pet players yesterday was that he is a "Ballwinder." His pitching was a veritable Chinese puzzle to them; in the nine innings they failed to make a base hit. Stem. is over six feet in height, and has a muscular frame, with an arm like Longfellow's "village blacksmith." The

1600 odd people who witnessed the match were to use a slang phrase "stuck" on him.

Spence, who has a happy knack of winning the toss, sent his men to the bat. The Torontos started off with heavy hitting. Eight of them stood up before Chamberlin; they batted him very hard, and four made base hits—Reid, Smith, Macklin and Spence. This heavy hitting was done at the right time, and coupled with a few errors resulted in four runs, scored by Reid, Smith, Macklin and Wade. In the first for the visitors Andrus went to his base on balls and by clever base running got round as far as third, but coming home, was, in the eyes of all the spectators, put dead out, but Umpire Crofoot pronounced it safe. Universal dissatisfaction was expressed at this decision. The umpire subsequently explained that although the ball was ahead of the runner in ample time, Smith did not touch Andrus with the hand in which he held it, as required by the rules. Rainey, Chamberlin and Moore were retired with little difficulty. The second for the home players resulted in nil. McKinley, who is away off in his batting this season, struck out; Reid did

Chamberlin up for another base hit, but was left at second, O'Rourke and Smith going out at first. The Clips failed to reach first in their second innings. The Torontos added another to their score in the third. Six men went to the bat, and

pounded the ball pretty hard, although only one hit was made, Shaffer being the hitter. But it kept the fielders pretty lively, especially Andrus, who made two errors. The run was scored by Macklin. By three costly errors on the part of Reid, Wade and McKinley, the Hamiltonians crossed the plate twice in their third innings, although their batting did not amount to much, notwithstanding the fact that seven of them had a try at Stemmeyer; two were left on bases. The score now stood 5 to 3. The Torontos' fourth was a goose egg, with three straight outs. Up till this time Smith had been taking in Stem's hot uns (and you can bet they were hot) in fine style, but by failing to hold on to three or four, a run was credited for the Clips by Wilson; they should have been whitewashed. This was the only time the "alderman" broke; he was there on every other occasion. Score 5 to 4 in favor of Toronto. The remaining five innings for the visitors were a blank—one, two, three, out, every time, nary a one reaching first bag except McGra in the sixth, and that was on balls. They pounded the air like a third rate prize fighter, until it was fairly in tatters. As for the Torontos, they were blanked in the fifth and sixth.

scored one in the seventh by two good hits, assisted by errors; the eighth and ninth were unproductive. So the game ended—Torontos 6, Clippers 4. First class play would have made it 4 to 0. The home men won the match in the first innings, when they pounded Chamberlin unmercifully. Later on, however, Pete Woods' successor pulled himself together, and did some very effective work. He was ably supported by Moore, who played his initial game with the Clips, having just left the "hard luck" Detroit league team.

Torontos.	a.	b.	r.	b.	b.	p.	a.	e.
Reid, s.s.	5	1	2	1	5	1		
O'Rourke, r.f.	5	0	0	0	0	0		
Smith, c.	5	2	2	8	1	4		
Macklin, 1.b.	4	2	1	16	0	0		
Wade, l.f.	4	1	1	1	0	1		
Spence, 2.b.	3	0	1	1	2	0		
Shaffer, c.f.	3	0	1	0	0	0		
Stemmeyer, p.	4	0	0	0	11	4		
McKinley, 3.b.	4	0	0	0	2	1		
Total	37	6	8	27	21	11		
Clippers.	a.	b.	r.	b.	b.	p.	a.	e.
Andrus, s.s.	2	2	0	0	6	3		
Rainey, 3.b.	4	0	0	0	1	0		
Chamberlin, p.	4	0	0	0	8	3		
Moore, c.	4	0	0	8	1	2		
McGra, 2.b.	3	0	0	5	0	0		
Myers, c.f.	4	0	0	0	0	2		
Stapleton, 1.b.	4	0	0	9	0	0		
Wilson, r.f.	2	2	0	3	0	0		
Flann, l.f.	3	0	0	2	0	1		
Total	30	4	0	27	16	11		

Runs by innings:
Torontos..... 4 0 1 0 0 1 0 0—6
Clippers..... 1 0 2 1 0 0 0 0—4
First base on errors: Toronto 7, Clippers 4.
First base on balls: Toronto 2, Clippers 4.
Struck out: Toronto 6, Clippers 6.
Passed balls: Smith 2, Moore 1.
Left on bases: Torontos 6, Clippers 3.
Time of game, 2 hrs. 17 mins.
Umpire: W. Crofoot.

NOTES.

Stemmeyer does a jig in the box as he delivers the ball. His pitching was the best ever seen on the Jarvis street grounds.

If it had only rained yesterday, eh' Clippers?—And you had a Rainey man with you, too.

On the whole Umpire Crofoot did well. His judgment was faulty at times; but his honesty cannot be impugned.

Big John Wilson of the Durham house distinguished himself by a one-handed catch of a foul which fell among the thick crowd, and which but for him would have cracked somebody's pate. He ought to go back to ball.

The Clippers kicked about the dimensions of the box, and were not satisfied until it was measured and found correct.

Andrus' base running was admired by all.

McKinley is not up to his old form at the bat, but when he gets there the ball will be knocked out of existence.

Reid and Smith shared the honors for batting; each had two clean hits.

Moore took in two teasing fouls. He is a valuable accession to the Clippers.

In Chamberlin and Moore the Clippers have a stronger battery than the two Woods.

TORONTOS WHITEWASHED

LONDON WINS BY FOUR RUNS TO NOTHING.

The Result Entirely Due to Errors—Championship Lacrosse Matches To-Day—The Canadian and National League Records.

Although it was felt on all sides that the Torontos would find in the Londoners more worthy of their steel than the Clippers proved to be, still the most dubious of the home team's admirers never expected anything in the way of a whitewash. But such was the outcome of the match. The London boys piled the brush vigorously from the start, and when the Torontos laid down the bat at the finish their score showed nothing but nine monotonous blanks. The visitors played a remarkably fine game throughout. On the field they were as steady as clockwork—cool, quick and unerring. Their four errors

cost them nothing. One was a passed ball by Thompson, another was an easy muff by Connors at left field, the remaining two being due to wild pitches on the part of Knight. They cover a great extent of ground, and in one case a base hit was cleverly changed into a put out by the second baseman. The home team's errors were just double that of their opponents. Five of them are charged to Smith. He did not support Stemmeyer yesterday as well as he did Wednesday, and to make matters worse Stem was also a little off himself, being inclined to be wild at times, but his record of twelve men pitched out demonstrates the general effectiveness of his work, and is something of which any pitcher may well feel proud. The Londoners found his outshoot too far away to hit, but they caught him on other styles of delivery for five hits. Although Knight had only six struck outs, his drop curves proved a puzzle to the Torontos, and they touched him for only three hits. The next match or so they will probably make more out of him. The pitching of both Knight and Stemmeyer was universally admired; two such good ones never appeared in the same match here before.

The large gathering that witnessed the match amply demonstrates that baseball has caught on here. There were considerably over two thousand people present, the increased attendance of ladies being highly gratifying to the management. This is an exceptionally large audience for a Friday afternoon. They saw probably the quickest and cleanest ball game ever played on the grounds. Umpire Dyson, who by the

way did his work well, called play promptly at 4. The Forest city boys led from the start. Stemmeyer's overthrow to Macklin gave them a run in the first innings. They were blanked one, two, three straight in the next three; in the fifth a most inexcusable error by Macklin gave Hunter his base, and he tallied on base hits by Campau

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and Knight. While the latter were at third and second respectively, no men being out, Stemmeyer showed what he was made of by holding them there while he retired Reid and Thompson on strikes. Dunn's base hit brought Campau in but was fatal to Knight who also tried to come in on it. The sixth was a straight blank. In the seventh, Campau, who belongs to an aristocratic family of Detroit, got his first by Smith failing to hold the last of three strikes, stole second and came home on Reid's base hit and a passed ball. This ended their run-making, the other two innings being blanks. In the home nine's first, Reid and O'Rourke got bases on balls, but stuck there. The next three innings were unproductive, many a man being allowed to pay his respects to first. In the fifth Stemmeyer managed to get there with a bagger but three outs put a stop to his career. O'Rourke in the sixth and Sheffler in the seventh touched the bag, but it was so sticky that they could not get away. There was nothing discreditable about the Torontos' defeat, which was entirely due to three costly errors by Stemmeyer, Macklin and Smith. Better luck will probably attend them next time. The match occupied 1 hr. 45 m.

Londons	a.	b.	r.	b.	p.	a.	e.
Thomson, c.	4	0	0	6	2	1	
Dunn, 2b.	3	1	1	2	4	0	
Quinn, 3b.	4	0	0	1	0	0	
Pelouze, r.f.	2	4	0	1	1	0	0
Connors, l.f.	4	0	0	3	0	1	
Hunter, a.s.	4	1	0	1	1	0	
Campau, c.f.	3	2	1	1	0	0	
Knight, p.	3	0	1	1	10	2	
Reid, 1b.	3	0	1	11	0	0	
Total	32	4	5	27	16	4	
Torontos	a.	b.	r.	b.	p.	a.	e.
Reid, a.s.	3	0	0	1	0	0	
O'Rourke, r.f.	3	0	1	1	0	0	
Smith, c.	4	0	0	12	0	5	
Macklin, 1b.	4	0	0	9	2	1	
Wade, l.f.	4	0	0	1	0	0	
Spence, 2b.	3	0	0	0	2	0	
Sheffler, c.f.	3	0	1	1	0	0	
Stemmeyer, p.	3	0	1	0	12	2	
McKinley, 3b.	3	0	0	1	3	0	
Total	30	0	3	27	19	8	
Runs by innings:							
Londons	1	0	0	2	0	1	0-4
Torontos	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0

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ANOTHER UNLUCKY DAY.

TORONTO'S THREE TEAMS AGAIN DOWNED.

Montreal and Hamilton Threatening to squeeze Us Out—some Advice to Toronto's Baseballists—Kicking at Cone? Island and Chicago.

HAMILTON, June 28.—Possibly no baseball match has been played on the Dundurn grounds this season which would have drawn such a large crowd as yesterday's game between the Clippers and Torontos had the weather been auspicious. Certainly no game that has been played this season has been talked about so much in the city. The Toronto team had been fast gaining friends by their numerous victories and the Clippers always were popular. As a consequence most people expected a close contest—at least one in which the score could be represented by one Arabic numeral on either side. Of course the Hamilton spectators were not disappointed that the victory should be with their favorites, still the big score was a surprise.

even to them, and a much greater to Toronto sports, who could scarcely be persuaded into believing that their favorites had received such a tremendous licking. Possibly the defeat would have been somewhat lighter had the Torontos played in the same positions as they did in their two previous matches. But instead of that Stemmeyer was put in centre-field, where he really was no good, and Smith, the elegant man behind the bat, exchanged places with O'Rourke. Sheffler was put in the box and did his work so efficiently that the home men made 11 base hits. Moore, the new catcher for the Clippers, did some splendid work and proved to the satisfaction of the spectators that he was just the man for behind the bat.

Torontos	a.	b.	r.	b.	t.	b.	p.	a.	e.
Reid, a.s.	1	2	0	0	0	2	2	1	
O'Rourke, c.	4	0	0	0	4	4	4		
Smith, r.f.	4	0	0	0	2	1	0		
Macklin, 1b.	4	0	0	9	9	0	0		
Wade, l.f.	4	0	1	2	1	0	1		
Spence, 2b.	3	0	0	1	3	3	1		
Sheffler, p.	3	0	0	0	1	6	4		
Stemmeyer, c.f.	4	0	0	0	1	0	0		
McKinley, 3b.	4	0	1	2	4	0	4		
Total	32	2	3	5	27	16	15		

Clippers	a.	b.	r.	b.	t.	b.	p.	a.	e.
Rainey, 3b.	5	3	4	7	2	4	0		
Andrus, a.s.	5	1	0	0	1	1	0		
Moore, c.	5	1	1	1	8	1	4		
Chamberlain, p.	5	2	2	4	1	9	6		
Stapleton, 1b.	4	1	0	0	11	0	0		
McGra, 2b.	4	2	3	3	1	0	3		
Wilson, r.f.	4	0	1	1	2	1	0		
Myers, l.f.	4	1	0	0	0	0	1		
Rooney, c.f.	4	0	0	0	0	0	1		
Total	40	11	11	16	26	16	15		
Clippers	1	1	0	2	2	0	3	11-11	
Torontos	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0-2	

Earned runs: Clippers 2, Torontos 0.
First base on errors: Torontos 8, Clippers 8.
First base on called balls: Clippers 2, Torontos 5.
Total called balls: Off Chamberlain 191, off Sheffler 71.
Struck out: Clippers 6, Torontos 6.
Left on bases: Clippers 4, Torontos 8.
Two-base hits: Clippers 1, Torontos 2.
Three-base hits: Clippers 2.
Double plays: Stapleton to Moore, McKinley.
Passed balls: Moore 1, O'Rourke 2.
Wild pitches: Sheffler 2, Chamberlain 0.
Umpire: Goldsmith of London.
Time of game: 1 hour and 55 minutes.
Attendance: 1200.

League games for this week: Clippers vs. Prims, Dundurn, Wednesday morning; Prims vs. Maple Leafs at Guelph Wednesday afternoon; Torontos vs. London in London on Wednesday; Torontos vs. London in Toronto on Saturday.
The Torontos' big luck has deserted them all as a sudden—Spec.
The say that Jeffers put on his winter boots last evening and wore them out on the Toronto ball players.—Spec. Does the Spec. think that Jeffers is manager of the Torontos? Even if he were, tactics which might work in Hamilton would be a signal failure in Toronto.

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SURPRISES AT BASEBALL.

TORONTO GETS AWAY WITH LONDON IN GOOD SHAPE.

The Clippers Beat Both the Cass and the Primrose Clubs—The Maple Leafs Also Get Away With the Prims.

LONDON, Ont., July 1.—This morning a baseball match between the Olives of London and the Beavers of London East was played on the London club grounds, and resulted in an easy victory for the Olives. While umpiring for the match, Dunn, captain and second baseman of the London club team, was hit in the face by a foul ball and so seriously injured that he was unable to take his place in the Toronto-London match in the afternoon. Smith, a new arrival from Erie, Pa., filling his position. This, the second championship match with Toronto, commenced at 3 o'clock. Both teams played well, Thompson of the Londons catching in his usual good style. Pelouze

made a very fine catch, having to run into the crowd to get under the ball. The pitching of Stemmeyer, for the Toronto team was, however, too much for the home team, and they were, comparatively speaking, unable to hit him. Smith of the Torontos proved himself to be a splendid catcher. McKinley made a fine catch at third base, the ball being a "red-hot liner." Stemmeyer made a three-base hit and home run, owing to the ball getting into the crowd. The visitors batted Knight's pitching all over the field, every man of the team scoring base hits and runs.

Runs by innings 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 runs b.b. e.
London..... 2 0 0 1 1 1 0 0 5 9 12
Toronto..... 5 0 2 7 4 0 1 0 x 19 25 12

Passed balls: Smith 2, Thompson 1.
Base on called balls: London 3, Toronto 3.
Struck out: Londons 8, Torontos 3.
Earned runs: Torontos 2.
Left on bases: Torontos 4, Londons 5.
Wild pitches: Knight 2.
Umpire: Thos. Gillean of London.
Present—5000, the largest attendance ever seen on a baseball ground here.

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LEFT BY THE LONDONERS.

THE TORONTO BASEBALLISTS BEAT-
EN BY 3 TO 2.

A Cracking Good Match Attended by Up-
wards of Three Thousand People—The
Canadian League Record to Date.

Although the Torontos were beaten
everybody is agreed that the baseball match
on the Jarvis street grounds Saturday was
a capital exhibition of the game. Fully
three thousand five hundred people were
present, including an exceptionally large
number of ladies, showing that the game
is growing in favor in a quarter that will
best maintain its popularity. And right
here it can be mentioned that for the
future every Wednesday will be ladies'
day, that is the dear creatures in pink
and white will be admitted free to mid-
week matches. This is a wise move on
the part of the management, and will help

greatly to increase both the repnte and the
popularity of baseball. The first lady's
day will be next Wednesday, when the
Torontos meet—and, it is to be hoped, will
beat—the Hamilton Primroses for the third
time.

The crowd on Saturday, while demon-
strative, was very impartial, applauding
good play on either side with almost
equal fervor. Umpire Dyson came in
once or twice for a slight manifestation of
displeasure, but it is doubtful if it
was deserved. In the ninth innings the
excitement became intense, and on Wade
reaching the plate such shouts arose that
made the welkin more than ring, and when
Spence reached third and a tie seemed im-
minent they were again and again re-
newed. All eyes were turned on the un-
lucky McKinley, who was at bat. He had
two strikes against him and it was
a momentous question—would he hit it,
by way of a change? The Londoners were
three, the Torontos two. Would Spence
get home? Knight sends in a tempter
right across the plate and McKinley collars
it. The ball flies away beyond third
base. The umpire cries foul and Quinn,
the London left field, runs out and awaits
its descent. He makes the catch and

it becomes a question can the manager
on third base beat the ball
home? He essays the task but
the fielding is too brisk, and catcher Thomp-
son is ready to receive him ere
he can reach the plate. Opinions differ as

to the wisdom of Spence's course but there
appears to be a general consensus of opinion
in baseball circles that he did what was
right.

Both nines opened with a cipher. In
the second innings the Torontos broke the
ice. Wade went out at first. Spence hit
a cracker which left field failed
to get and he got to second.
Sheffler retired at first and Spence
came home on a bagger by Stemmyer.
McKinley hit three fouls and then quit
on strikes. The Londoners braced them-
selves for slugging. Pelouze, thanks to a
magnificent piece of work by Macklin, the
ball being sent in by McKinley too low,
went out at first. Quinn got his base on
balls, stole second and third and came
home on a passed ball. Hunter yielded
up the club on a foul. Campau hit to the
right fence. O'Rourke, who appeared in
no hurry to field it, probably thinking it
was a foul, thought to cut the
runner off at third, but throwing
out of McKinley's reach, Campau scored
the second run for the visitors. Knight
hit to Reid and the disastrous innings was
over. From this up to the end of the
seventh innings the play was mostly
noticeable for the quick order in which the
batmen retired, no additions to the tally

being made, and for a magnificent catch in
centre field by Sheffler, who, falling at full
length, caught the ball, a skyer from
Pelouze, a few inches from the ground,
while resting on his elbow, his arm being
badly scraped in the attempt. It was a
remarkably clever performance and was
deservedly applauded. In the Londoners'
eighth innings Campau got his base on
balls, stole second and third and made the
flight home on a wild pitch. The Torontos'
ninth yielded one run, as already narrated,
and our Forest City friends had secured
the victory by 3 runs to 2. Mention
should not be omitted of a rather bad mis-
take of Macklin in the eighth innings. He
got to first on a hit, stole second and run-
ning for third, instead of slipping in, as he
should have done, overran the bag and
was put out.

Londons	a.	b.	r.	b.	t.	b.	p.	a.	e.
Thomson, c.....	4	0	1	1	8	2	0		
Dunn, 2b.....	3	0	0	0	3	2	0		
Smith, 3b.....	3	0	1	1	1	1	1		
Pelouze, r.f.....	3	0	0	0	0	0	1		
Quinn, l.f.....	2	1	0	0	1	2	1		
Hunter, s.s.....	3	0	0	0	0	0	1		
Campau, c.f.....	2	2	3	3	3	0	0		
Knight, p.....	3	0	0	0	2	6	2		
Reid, lb.....	3	0	0	0	9	0	0		
Total.....	26	3	4	5	27	14	6		

Torontos	a.	b.	r.	b.	t.	b.	p.	a.	e.
Reid, s.a.....	3	0	1	2	1	1	0		
O'Rourke, r.f.....	4	0	0	0	1	0	1		
Smith, c.....	4	0	0	0	9	2	1		
Macklin, lb.....	3	0	1	1	6	0	0		
Wade, l.f.....	4	1	0	0	0	0	0		
Spence, 2b.....	3	1	2	2	3	1	0		
Sheffler, c.f.....	4	0	2	2	2	0	0		
Stemmyer, p.....	4	0	1	1	0	9	3		
McKinley, 3b.....	4	0	0	0	2	1	0		
Total.....	33	2	7	8	24	14	5		
Runs by innings.....	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Londons.....	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	3	—
Torontos.....	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	—
Struck out: Londons 6, Torontos 5. Bases on balls: Londons 2, Torontos 2. Left on bases: Londons 2, Torontos 6. Passed balls: Smith 1. Wild pitch: Stemmyer 1. Earned runs: To- rontos 1. Time of game: 2 hours. Umpire: Dyson, Guelph.									

Canadian Baseball League Record.

CLUBS.	Clippers.	Londons.	Torontos.	Maple Leafs.	Primroses.	Won.	Played.
Clippers, Hamilton.....	1	1	1	3	4	3	11
Londons, London.....	1	1	2	3	4	7	10
Torontos, Toronto.....	1	1	1	3	3	6	10
Maple Leafs, Guelph.....	1	0	1	1	3	3	11
Primroses, Hamilton.....	0	1	0	2	1	3	12
Lost.....	3	3	4	8	9	27	54
To play.....	37	38	38	37	36	—	—
Since the previous table was published the Clippers have beaten the Torontos once and the Primroses twice, the Londons have beaten the Torontos once, the Torontos have beaten the Londons once and the Maple Leafs have beaten the Primroses once.							

Toronto World - July 6, 1885

League games for this week: Clippers-
Londons in London Tuesday, Prims-
and Torontos in Toronto Wednesday after-
noon; Clippers and Maple Leafs here
Wednesday afternoon, Londons and Maple
Leafs in London Thursday, Prims, and
Clippers here Saturday, and Torontos and
Leafs in Guelph on the same day.

Toronto World - July 7, 1885

THE PRIMROSES PLUCKED

SUCCESS OF THE TORONTOS BY
9 TO 3.

The Visitors Distinguish Themselves by
Kicking—Racing at Chicago—George
Washington Bradley's Record.

As a game of baseball, from a baseball
point of view, yesterday's game between
the Torontos and the Primroses of Hamil-
ton was not a success. There was much
kicking on the part of the visitors and all
the essential elements of the game were of
an inferior quality. The weather was
terribly hot but the crowd was large, the
increased number of ladies testifying to the
wisdom of the managers in instituting a
ladies' day.

Hitherto the new league has been
notorious for the promptitude with
which its games have been called.
Yesterday was an exception. The
little bell that summons the players
out of the dressing room tickle-tinkled on
time right enough, but ten or fifteen
minutes' delay followed. The trouble was
regarding the umpire. Some of those
wanted wouldn't or couldn't act. Finally
Sam Reid, last year's catcher for the
Torontos, was hit upon, and as far as he
went did his work well. The first four
innings on each side yielded nothing, the
record being noticeable for the rapidity
and grace with which each in-
dividual took a back seat at
the behest of the respective pitchers.
Spence, the manager, commenced the
fifth quietly enough. He hit to centre,
stole second and third, and came home on
a short hit by McKinley to third. Sheffler
sent an easy one in Bierbauer's direction,
but the gentleman with the name so
suggestive of an improved brew of lager
made an error and Sheffler got
his base. Second he cribbed, third he
secured on McKinley's unexpected hit and
then jogged home on a wild pitch. Stem-
myer retired without hesitation on a foul

to third. McKinley hit short to third and
got second on catcher's error, stole third
and came home on a safety hit by Reid,
who got his base and stole second. Right
here is where the Kickers from Kickerville
got their work in. Right or wrong, they

had hitherto raised an objection to everything calling for the umpire's decision. O'Rourke hit to first and was duly put out, but the act had engaged all the umpire's attention. Meantime Reid skipped third base and got home. The Prims protested that he didn't touch the base. Umpire Reid decided that he was not out. The Prims with the Woods and their jumping-jack of a shortstop made a vigorous kick. In vain the umpire declared that he did not see Reid skip the bag and, therefore, could not give him out. F. Wood said he turned the official in question around, although it is difficult to see how he could do it quick enough to see Reid doing the skipping act, and the Prims, in spite of the stalwart, good-humored Casey's objection, left the field. Half an hour's pause then ensued, during which warm arguments took place among the exponents of each cause. Finally Manager Henigan's suggestion for a change of umpires was adopted, and the Prims consented to resume the formidable task before them. It would be unkind to hint that a prospect of no gate money prompted their action, but there were those on the ground ungenerous enough to

declare it was a fact. However they returned and were loudly applauded for doing so, Billy McPherson displacing Reid as umpire. Smith went out on a clip to second. The fifth innings of the Primroses opened inauspiciously by Pete Wood sending an easy catch to Reid, but his brother Fred following astonished everybody with a daisy three-bagger to left—the first ever hit in Canada off Stemmyer. Barnfather hit to Spence, who scored an error and Fred came home. Wilson struck out. The sixth and seventh innings of both clubs were unproductive. The eighth of the Torontos was a rattler. O'Rourke struck out. Smith, the humorist of the nine, got his work in on a two-bagger. Macklin hit to short, who overthrew to first, and while the latter got to third the funny man came home. Wade made his base on balls, stole second and third. Spence hit to centre, got to first himself, and brought home Macklin and Wade. Sheffler hit for safety to the pitcher, who threw high to third and both Spence and Sheffler came home. Stemmyer retired at first. McKinley got his base on balls without a strike and Reid went out at first. The score now stood 9 to 1. Thanks

to errors of McKinley the Prims got in two in their eighth, but except in reducing the adverse majority they did not help them much.

As an exhibition of baseball the game was in marked contrast to that played last Saturday. The fielding on both sides was indifferent. The Torontos at first appeared over-confident, but when they woke up to the fact that defeat was not impossible they seemingly had little trouble in getting runs. As for the Prims, they would be well advised to play football, for they can take our word for it, their kicking is infinitely superior to their clubbing.

Torontos.	a.	b.	r.	b.h.	t.b.	p.o.	a.	e.
Reid, s.s.	5	1	0	0	3	3	1	
O'Rourke, r.f.	5	0	1	1	0	0	0	
Smith, c.	5	1	1	2	11	6	0	
Macklin, 1b.	5	1	1	1	9	0	1	
Wade, l.f.	4	1	2	2	0	0	0	
Spence, 2b.	4	2	2	2	3	1	1	
Sheffler, c.f.	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	
Stemmyer, p.	3	0	0	0	0	12	1	
McKinley, 3b.	3	1	0	0	1	0	3	
Total	39	9	7	8	27	22	7	
Primroses.	a.	b.	r.	b.h.	t.b.	p.o.	a.	e.
Bierbauer, 2b.	4	0	0	0	2	5	1	
Casey, c.f.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Kirtland, 3b.	4	0	1	1	1	1	1	
Jones, 1b.	4	0	0	0	12	0	2	
P. Wood, p.	4	0	0	0	0	11	6	
F. Wood, c.	3	2	3	5	11	1	1	
Barnfather, r.f.	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	
O'Neill or Wilson, l.f.	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	
Richardson, s.a.	3	0	0	0	0	2	2	
Total	33	3	4	6	27	20	13	

Torontos 000040050 — 9
Primroses 000010020 — 3
Struck out: Primroses (Pete Wood) 9; Torontos (Stemmyer) 9. Passed balls: Primroses (F. Wood), 1. Wild pitches: Primroses (P. Wood) 2. Left on bases: Primroses 4, Torontos 7. Bases on balls: Primroses (P. Wood) 4; Torontos (Stemmyer) 1. Left on bases: Primroses 4; Torontos 7.

Toronto World - July 9, 1885

Can't find mention of Saturday's game.

THEIR NINTH VICTORY.

THE TORONTOS BEAT THE CLIPPERS
BY SIX TO FOUR.

Robert Bonner's Method of Shooing Haud
A—Pete Wood's First Essay with the
Buffaloes—National League Game,
Yesterday.

Yesterday was the second ladies' day of the Toronto baseball club, and the oases their pretty costumes made in the ordinary sombreness of the grand stand on the Jarvis street grounds not only lent grace to the picture but must have been most gratifying to the managerial heart. A week ago yesterday the Primroses kicked, and it was feared the result would be that "the better part of creation" would lose their new-born interest. Such, however, was not the case, and more of the tyrants were present yesterday than on any former occasion. Unfortunately

on any former occasion there was nearly another calamity and with another Hamilton club. John Flynn of the Ambitious City was referee, and whether it was that he was nervous or unduly sensitive owing to its being his first appearance in the role it is impossible to say, but the fact remains that he exhibited an exceptional degree of pettishness by going off the field because the crowd hooted and Manager Spence disputed his decision. Mr. Flynn must understand that it is one of the unpleasanties of the position to which he was subjected. If he wishes to be a good umpire he must laugh at outside remarks and confine himself to strict and impartial decisions.

The game opened with the Clippers at the bat. Thanks mainly to McKinley their first innings was productive of one run. In the Toronto first, Smith sent a crackling fly beyond centre to the fence, but although he got second the innings proved a blank. Wilson, Nelson, Pope retired on two strikes-out and a fly in the second of the Clippers. Spence got first on balls for the Torontos and went to second on a little fly to right from Sheffler, Wilson, the Clipper fielder, trying for double play and missing both.

trying for double play and missing both. Macklin and Wade both struck out. Right here came in the grand kick. McKinley hit to Nelson at centre. That individual backed to catch and Spence in running to third slightly collided with him. He could even then have caught the ball, but preferred

to bluff the umpire, to whom he appealed, and that individual gave the manager out. Mr. Spence protested and the crowd yelled. Mr. Flynn humped his back and left the field, but was persuaded to return. After that, although several of his rulings were very close, everything went on satisfactorily. Again the Clippers retired in one, two, three order, McKinley atoning for his error by admirably fielding a hot "un from Andrus. The Torontos scored in the latter half and "one all" was the cry. Reid sent a beauty between the bases and got first. Second he took on a passed ball, third he made, on Stemmyer's safety hit, which being badly fielded gave him an opportunity to reach the plate. The fourth innings of the Clippers yielded another single. Chamberlain struck safely to centre, secured second because he could travel faster than a ball thrown by Smith, and came home on Croghan's hit. Stapleton was struck out. Wilson hit to right. It went high, but Spence backed, and jumping high captured the ball when everybody thought it was safe. On the instant he threw to third, and Croghan was also out. It was the finest bit of play of the match. Sheffler, Macklin and Wade resumed their seats in order of succession. Three ciphers

bore testimony mainly to Stemmyer's efficiency in the box in the fifth, sixth and seventh innings of the Clippers. The Torontos meantime scored five, increasing their tally to the even half-dozen. In the fifth McKinley got to first on catcher's error and stole second, coming home on O'Rourke's hit to pitcher. O'Rourke also got home on a series of muffs. In the sixth Sheffler got first on balls, stole second and third, and got to the plate on a base hit by Macklin. In the seventh Reid and O'Rourke both got bases on balls and both came home on a rattling lift by Smith to centre, aided by an erratic throw of Chamberlain. The eighth innings of the Clippers brought their score up to a quartette. Pope hit to left and stole second. Rainey sent a grounder to Reid, who muffed it, and Wade following suit, it was left for Sheffler to throw in. The latter did his best but Pope arrived home and Rainey got to third, from which position a wild pitch enabled him to reach the terminus. The eighth of the Torontos was noted for quick despatch. Nelson got to second in the ninth of the Clippers but he was caught stealing the third, and Stapleton and Wilson having previously struck out, the Torontos proved

the winners without taking their ninth innings.

Clippers.	a.b.	r.	b.h.	t.b.	p.o.	a.	e.
Rainey, 3b.....	4	2	1	1	0	3	0
Andrus, s.s.....	3	0	0	0	2	2	0
Moore, c.....	3	0	0	0	11	3	1
Chamberlain, p.....	4	1	1	1	0	11	7
Croghan, l.f.....	4	0	1	1	0	0	0
Stapleton, l.b.....	4	0	0	0	9	0	1
Wilson, r.f.....	4	0	0	0	1	0	1
Nelson, c.f.....	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pope, 2b.....	3	1	1	1	1	1	0
Total.....	33	4	4	4	24	20	10
Torontos.	a.b.	r.	b.h.	t.b.	p.o.	a.	e.
Reid, s.s.....	2	2	1	1	0	2	1
O'Rourke, r.f.....	3	2	0	0	1	0	0
Smith, c.....	4	0	2	3	11	1	2
Stemmyer, p.....	4	0	0	0	0	14	5
Spence, 2b.....	3	0	0	0	2	3	0
Sheffler, c.f.....	3	1	1	1	1	0	0
Macklin, l.b.....	4	0	0	0	9	0	1
Wade, l.f.....	4	0	1	1	1	0	2
McKinley, 3b.....	3	1	0	0	2	2	2
Total.....	31	6	5	6	27	22	13

Struck out, by Stemmyer 11; by Chamberlain 16. Bases on balls, off Stemmyer 2; off Chamberlain 3. Wild pitches, Stemmyer 3; Chamberlain 1. Passed balls, Smith 2; Moore 1. Earned runs, none. Double play, Spence and McKinley (Torontos). Time of game, 2 hrs. 15 mins. Umpire, J. Flynn, Hamilton.

VANQUISHED ONCE MORE.

THE LONDONS VICTORIOUS BY FIVE TO FOUR.

Bad Play and Hard Luck Down the Torontos—The Misfortunes of Trotting in Canada—Maud & Does a Fast Mile.

Yesterday was the fourth time the Londons and Torontos had met to play baseball. On the first occasion the Forest City fellows won, on the second they were beaten, but on the third and fourth they succeeded in attaching the spalls of their opponents to their waists, that is, of course, figuratively speaking. The last two games have been particularly close, so close, in fact, as to have been dependent upon a single turn of the umpire's decision. On Saturday, July 4, the Londons won by 3 to 2, and yesterday they secured the verdict by 5 to 4.

Upwards of a thousand people gathered on the Jarvis street grounds yesterday and had the misfortune to witness one of the worst matches of the season, if, indeed, it was not actually the very worst. Knight, the usual pitcher of the Londons, was not in the box, his place being taken by Seward, surnamed "The Kid" on account of his youthfulness, a recent importation from Erie. While he was not entirely a success, bases on balls being numerous, his delivery proved too tricky for the Torontos to pound in any extent. Stemmyer was hardly up to his usual form, his good right hand being badly out, but still he did splendid work, hits being few and far between. "Ald." Smith, the catcher, was also suffering from a finger, and after the fifth innings relinquished his place behind the bat to O'Rourke, who surprised everybody by the way in which he held stemmyer's artful shooters. Spence won the toss and the Torontos went first to the bat. Reid opened with a safe bagger, but was caught running to second, being decidedly too venturesome. O'Rourke and Smith both failed to reach first. The second of the Torontos yielded one. Stemmyer retired on a hit to second. Spence got first by the mercy of Quinn at short, but he was caught going to second on Sheffler's hit. Sheffler himself got first, and reached home on an overthrow from centre. Macklin went out on strike. The third innings was non-productive, McKinley and Reid being left on bases. At the end of their third innings all the Londons had been once to the bat, the routine having been the first three strikers out each time. Stemmyer having struck three out,

caught one and assisted one. Three more noughts made up the Toronto's tally for the fourth, fifth and sixth essays. The fourth of the Londons was a blank, but in the fifth and sixth they won the game by making two and three respectively. In the fifth Knight hit to

centre, who threw wildly to first, the chivalrous individual getting to second. Seward sent a fly to Spence, which he accepted. Connors made a base hit towards Wade at left. The latter gentleman thought to cut Knight off a third, but threw in low and the Londoner crossed the plate. Connors took second, secured third on a passed ball and scored while Campau was being put out running to first after three strikes. Pelouze got to first on catcher's error, on his third strike, was given second on an alleged balk by Stemmyer, and was checked in his career by Quinn sending a foul fly to Smith. In the sixth innings of the Londons, Thompson followed Quinn's example and resumed his seat on the bench for a foul fly to the catcher. Dunn hit to right through the alderman's legs, he and O'Rourke having changed positions, reached second, stole third and home on a passed ball. Smith sent a beautiful daisy-outter into the left field, stole second, captured third on a passed ball and arrived home on a bad error of Reid. Knight fanned the air thrice but got his base on a passed ball, stole second and chased Smith to the plate on Reid's fatal error. Seward hit to Reid at short, who threw low to the plate and gave the Londons the two runs referred to, and, as it turned out, the game. The Torontos buckled themselves together to snatch the game out of the fire if possible. Sheffler sent a short fly to second, which was not taken, stole second, and third, where he remained until Wade, McKinley and Reid were each given bases on balls, and then he jogged home, Macklin having meantime gone out on a fly to Connors, who in taking it made the best catch of the day. The bases were still full. O'Rourke struck heavenwards

to centre, who safely held the ball in its descent and put out Reid on his journey to second. Before Reid was taken, Wade reached home, but the umpire refused to allow the run, maintaining that Wade was off his base before the catch was made. There seems, however, good grounds, not only for believing that he started fairly from the base and raced the ball home, but that the umpire did not see what occurred, but gave his decision on the claim only of the club from his own city. In their eighth the Torontos drew one more blank, but in their ninth they made a vigorous effort to redeem the fortunes of the day. Sheffler hit to third, but was nailed stealing second. Macklin struck in the same direction, and was favored by the London Smith throwing widely to third enabling him to get there. Wade hit for safety but got to first himself and brought home Macklin. "Bunt" as somebody called Wade, stole second and third and on Reid, who was given his first on balls, making a feint to run to second, he landed at the plate, Reid also getting second. O'Rourke went out on a grass-mower to second. The seventh and eighth innings of the visitors were barren, and the ninth they had no necessity for. This ended a game that was marked by some of the most wretched bits of play that was ever seen on a ball field. The Londons were bad enough, but the Torontos simply out-Heroded Herod, Stemmyer's work in the box being almost the only redeeming point.

Londons	a.b.	r.	b.h.	t.b.	p.o.	a.	e.
Thompson, c.....	4	0	0	0	4	6	1
Dunn, 2b.....	4	1	0	0	0	4	2
Smith, 3b.....	4	1	1	1	0	1	1
Knight, r.f.....	4	2	0	0	0	0	1
Seward, p.....	4	0	0	0	1	9	6
Connors, l.f.....	3	1	1	1	2	0	0
Campau, l.b.....	3	0	0	0	13	0	1
Pelouze, c.f.....	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
Quinn, s.s.....	3	0	0	0	2	1	2
Total.....	32	5	2	2	27	21	14
Torontos.	a.b.	r.	b.h.	t.b.	p.o.	a.	e.
Reid, s.s.....	2	0	1	1	0	0	1
O'Rourke, r.f. and c.....	5	0	0	0	4	0	1
Smith, c. and r.f.....	4	0	0	0	5	2	2
Stemmyer, p.....	4	0	1	1	2	10	0
Spence, 2b.....	4	0	0	0	1	4	1
Sheffler, c.f.....	4	2	2	2	0	0	0
Macklin, l.b.....	4	1	0	0	10	0	1
Wade, l.f.....	3	0	0	0	1	0	2
McKinley, 3b.....	2	1	0	0	0	3	1
Total.....	32	4	4	4	24	19	8
Torontos.....	0	1	0	0	0	1	0
Londons.....	0	0	0	2	3	0	0
Total.....	0	1	0	2	3	1	0

Earned runs, none. Bases on balls, Stemmyer 6, Seward 5. Struck out, Stemmyer 7, Seward 5. Passed balls, Smith 1, O'Rourke 1. Left on bases, Torontos 8, Londons 3. Time of game, 2 hrs. 10 mins. Umpire, Hugh McLean, London. A good deal was said around town last night about the umpiring. As a matter of fact Hugh McLean was one of the best and most impartial judges that has been seen on the grounds this year. That he made a mistake as regards Wade's run is not only possible but probable, but there were many others who were at a puzzle to understand how he arrived at the plate so quickly. Still if the umpire did not see what happened, as alleged, he had a right to give the Torontos at least the benefit of the doubt.

Canadian Baseball League Record.						
CLUBS.	Londons.	Clippers.	Torontos.	Primrose.	Maple Leafs.	Played.
Londons, London.....	1	3	3	4	11	14
Clippers, Hamilton.....	1	3	1	5	10	15
Torontos, Toronto.....	1	3	1	3	9	14
Primrose, Hamilton.....	1	0	0	1	3	16
Maple Leafs, Guelph....	0	1	1	1	3	13
Lost.....	3	5	5	13	10	36
To play.....	34	33	34	32	35	—

Toronto World - July 18, 1885

League baseball games for this week: Clippers vs. London in Dundurn on Tuesday; Primrose vs. Toronto in Toronto, Wednesday; Torontos vs. Clippers at Dundurn, Saturday.

The Clippers and Londons will have a match at ball on August 10 at Dundurn. The Torontos and Clippers will play at the Oddfellows picnic at the same place on Wednesday, August 12.

Toronto World - July 21, 1885

Toronto World - July 16, 1885

THE WORST BEATING YET

TORONTO POUNDED TO PIECES BY THE PRIMROSES.

Racing at Saratoga and Brighton Beach—The Lacrosse Matches To-Day—The National Baseball League Record.

Unanimity is a rare thing on a baseball field, but it prevailed about the Toronto Primrose game on the Jarvis street grounds yesterday, that is as far as the home men were concerned, they never looming up in worse shape. Fortunately the heavy rain that fell between 3 and 4 o'clock prevented a large attendance, and therefore many of the usual frequenters at the games were spared the agony that the four or five hundred who were present had to endure.

As previously stated would be the case there were several changes in the Toronto nine. Quinn, the left-hander, was in the box, O'Rourke being behind the bat. Kavanaugh, the new man from Cleveland, was at first, Reid at second instead of Manager Spence, who took a rest, Macklin at third, McKinley at short, Smith right field, Stemmyer centre field and Scheffler left field.

For the visitors Morrison did the pitching, while Jeff Wood caught, Jones was at first, Casey at second, Bierbauer at third, Owens at short, Barnfather at right, J. Wood at centre and Miller at left.

It would show little consideration for the feelings of readers of The World to detail the game. From the beginning and almost all the way through it was characterized by the most vexatious errors, McKinley as usual being the worst culprit. Nobody expects him to do much with the bat, but in the field he has shown himself at times capable of decent work. He always toils hard and faithfully, but whether he becomes rattled or not it is impossible to say; but the fact remains that he has a knack of throwing erratically just at the time that the opposing club can score the best. Macklin at third was not very much better, and Smith in right was all at sea. Kavanaugh, at first, proved himself a thorough ball-player. He is remarkably quick in the field, covers plenty of ground, always reliable and can run bases as fast as a race-horse. If it hadn't been for his work yesterday the rout would have been even more disastrous than it was. Scheffler at left did some capital fielding. Quinn was evidently not himself. His pitching was wild and costly. Towards the end of the game he did better, but some idea of the general calibre of his work can be formed

from the fact that of the first ten men who faced him five got bases on balls and two or three of the others pounded him. O'Rourke did fairly well behind the bat, but he had a hard task.

The Primroses undoubtedly played in superior form to that they exhibited when here before. Morrison pitched well throughout, but in the eighth innings Reid, O'Rourke, Smith and Scheffler got on to him in fine style. His field work, however, was poor, he failing to hold one or two easy flies. Fred Wood's catching was little short of perfection, and he also did well as a base runner, his five times at bat producing three runs. Bierbauer and Morrison took the prize in that respect, however, they each scoring three times for four at bat. Every one of the Clippers scored, those not previously mentioned as follows: Casey 2, Barnfather 1, Owens 1, J. Wood 1, Miller 1 and Jones 1, the last named getting from plate to plate for a magnificent hit to right over the fence.

Torontos.....110000040—Total, 6
Primroses.....44001520—Total, 16

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Jeffers was umpire.
Earned runs, none. Base hits, Torontos 8, Primroses 7. Errors, Torontos 23, Primroses 11. Bases on called balls, Torontos 3, Primroses 8. Struck out, Toronto 10, Primroses 8.

The Torontos try to play ball with the Clippers this afternoon at Dandurn park.

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Game played Friday rather than Wednesday?

BY TWELVE TO ELEVEN.

THE TORONTO BASEBALL CLUB LEFT ONCE MORE.

A Disgraceful Exhibition of Rowdism—The Londoners Beat the Maple Leafs—Racing at Monmouth Park and Saratoga.

HAMILTON, July 28.—The most interesting baseball match that Dundurn spectators have witnessed this season was played on Saturday afternoon. The weather was delightful, and long ere the hour for the match to begin the lovers of the sport began to flock into the grounds. There were nearly 4000 people present, among them being a generous sprinkling of ladies.

The only change in the Clipper team from the last game played was made by putting Nelson, the new change pitcher, in the box, and transferring Chamberlain

to centre field. It is not at all probable that Nelson will again have an opportunity of throwing for the Clippers after Saturday's exhibition. When he attempted a curve he would invariably make it in the wrong place.

Moore behind the bat had one of the hardest tasks he had ever had to hold the ball, but by everlastingly being on the jump he succeeded and thereby undoubtedly saved the game. The outfielding for the home team was extremely fine, Chamberlain, Croghan and Wilson taking in all the flies that came in their grounds and many too that were outside. Chamberlain made a brilliant running catch; after running some distance he tripped and when falling caught the ball and held it high up to assure the umpire that he had not dropped it. Andrus, Rainey, Stapleton and Pope watched the infield well, Andrus taking in a hot liner with one hand so quickly that he himself scarcely knew he held it.

The batting on both sides was heavy, the Torontos making as many as seven hits and as many runs in one inning. The Clippers in their last innings recorded five

hits off Stem.

The game opened strongly in the Clippers' favor with a score of five runs. The next three innings were unproductive to either party; each scored a run in the fifth, and in the seventh the visitors recorded the best work of the day, making seven runs. Here Andrus decided to change the man in the pitcher's box and put in Chamberlain, but the latter fancied that centre field was easier played than throwing, especially when the thermometer registered 95°, and obstinately refused to change.

refused to change.

When the Clippers went to bat the last time the score stood 10-6 in favor of Toronto and the crowd, fancying that the game was decided, seeing that Wilson and Nelson were to go to bat first, began to move toward the gate, and Wilson struck out and more began to move, and then Nelson made a hit off Stem. This checked the moving mass for a moment. Rainey followed with a two-bagger and Andrus with a three-bagger, bringing Nelson and Rainey home, and then the crowd hastened back on the run, interfering with the visitors' outfield. This interference gave Moore a three-bagger off a hit, which, on an ordinary occasion would scarcely have taken him to first. The crowd cheered, and as Moore came in over the plate on a hit made by Chamberlain the applause was deafening, and from the grand stand a whole garden of sunflowers was thrown by the ladies. Stem, thought this was a little too much of the good thing and retired the next two men in hot haste.

And now, the game being a tie, the excitement grew intense. The Clippers put Chamberlain, perfectly fresh from centre field where he had but little work, into the box. Smith and Stemmyer each made a two-bagger off him. Sheffler struck out, Wade fled to left field and Kavanaugh failed to reach first. Smith got home on Stemmyer's hit. Pope tied the game again by scoring a run for the Clippers in the tenth inning. Now the hoodlums began to get in their work. They were about 200 in number, and not only tried to annoy the visitors but demeaned themselves by hurling mud in the shape of using obscene language; even Clipper Rainey, to whom was appointed the task of running the men on bases from third to home, stepped so far beyond the boundary of fair playing as to shout when there were no one on bases to annoy Stem. His childish tricks failed, however, for Stem took his time and could see three bases as quick, as the would-be sharper, one.

Smith however was not as fortunate as Stem, and allowed several costly passed balls to be charged to him. The alderman is a hard man to rattle, but a man must close all the avenues to feeling to resist the impressions of such a crowd of roughs as shouted on Saturday.

The Clippers won the game in the eleventh inning through Stem being slightly rattled and neglecting to notice a blocked ball.

Clippers.	a.b.	r.	b.h.	t.b.	p.o.	a.	e.
Rainey, 3b.....	6	2	4	5	0	1	2
Andrus, s.b.....	6	4	3	5	3	3	1
Moore, c.....	4	2	2	4	10	0	2
Chamberlain, p. c.f.	5	1	2	2	2	5	0
Croghan, 1.f.....	5	1	2	3	4	0	0
Smpleton, 1b.....	5	0	0	0	8	2	1
Pope, 3b.....	5	1	0	0	2	4	1
Wilson, r.f.....	5	0	1	1	2	0	1
Nelson, c.f.....	5	1	1	1	2	2	5
Total.....	46	12	15	21	33	18	13
Torontos.	a.b.	r.	b.h.	t.b.	p.o.	a.	e.
Reid, 2b.....	6	1	1	1	5	3	1
O'Rourke, r.f.....	4	2	1	1	3	0	1
Smith, c.....	5	2	3	4	11	4	4
Sheffler, c.f.....	6	2	4	5	0	0	0
Stemmyer, p.....	6	1	4	8	1	11	1
Kavanagh, 1b.....	6	1	1	2	7	2	2
Wade, l.f.....	6	1	1	2	2	0	0
Macklin, 3b.....	6	1	1	1	1	0	1
McKinley, s.s.....	6	0	3	3	0	1	0
Total.....	51	11	17	27	30	21	10
Clippers.....	5	0	0	1	0	0	4
Torontos.....	2	0	0	1	0	7	0

Earned runs, Clipper 5, Toronto 4. Left on bases, Clippers 6, Toronto 10. Passed balls, Moore 2, Smith 4. Wild pitches, Nelson 3. Two-base hits, Clippers 2 (Rainey and Croghan), Toronto 4 (Sheffler, Stemmyer, Kavanagh, Wade). Three-base hits, Clippers 2 (Andrus and Moore), Toronto 2 (Stemmyer and Sheffler). Bases on balls, Clippers 1, Toronto 2. Struck out, Clippers 8, Toronto 3. Total balls called, off Clippers 113 off Toronto 78. Total strikes called, off Nelson 40, Chamberlain 12, Stemmyer 61. Time of game, 2 hours. Umpire, Goldsmith, of London.

Canadian Baseball League Record.									
CLUBS.	Londons.	Clippers.	Torontos.	Primroses.	Maple Leafs.	Won.	Lost.	Played.	
Londons.....	—	3	2	4	4	14	20	—	
Clippers.....	2	—	2	3	3	13	17	—	
Torontos.....	1	2	—	3	3	9	16	—	
Primroses.....	2	0	1	—	2	5	18	—	
Maple Leafs.....	1	0	1	1	—	3	15	—	
Games lost.....	6	5	7	13	12	43	—	—	
" to play.....	28	31	32	30	33	—	—	—	

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FOR THE FOURTH TIME.

LONDON ONCE MORE DEFEATS THE TORONTOS.

A Close and Exciting Game—The Forest City Players Win by Bunching Their Hits—Franklin at Monmouth Park.

LONDON, Ont., July 28. — About 2500 persons assembled on the London baseball grounds this afternoon to witness a championship match between the Torontos of Toronto and the Londons of London. The match proved a most interesting one, being marked by almost faultless play on both sides. The home team proved their superiority as batsmen and base runners, and after the fifth innings batted Stemmyer's pitching very freely, whilst the Toronto team were unable to cope with the London pitcher, Knight. Thompson for London and Smith for Toronto caught for their respective teams in capital style.

for their respective teams

It would be invidious to mention the names of any of the players on either side in connection with the general fielding and throwing, flies and grounders anywhere within reach being captured and returned in a manner which proved that both teams are thoroughly up in their work.

Torontos	r.	b.h.	e.	Londons	r.	b.h.	e.
Macklin, 2 b.	0	0	1	Thompson, c.	0	1	1
O'Rourke, r.f.	1	2	1	Dunn, 2 b.	1	2	3
Smith, c.	0	0	3	Smith, 3 b.	2	2	3
Stemmyer, p.	0	1	1	Knight, p.	2	2	2
Sheffler, c.f.	1	2	0	Seward, c.f.	2	2	0
Spence, 3 b.	1	1	0	Connors, l.f.	2	1	0
Kavanagh, 1b	0	0	0	Campau, 1 b.	3	3	1
Wade, l.f.	0	0	0	Pelouze, r.f.	0	1	0
McKinley, s.s.	1	0	0	Quinn, s.s.	0	1	1
Totals.....	3	7	6		11	14	7
Torontos.....	0	2	0	1	0	0	0
Londons.....	0	0	0	2	5	4	0

Balls called, off Knight 38, off Stemmyer 44. Struck out, Londons 9, Torontos 9. Earned runs, Londons 8, Torontos 4. Left on bases, Londons 3, Torontos 6. Three base hits, Campau 2, Smith (Londons), Two base hits, Connors 1, Smith (Londons) 1, McKinley 1. Home runs, Seward 1. Bases on balls, Torontos 2, Londons 1. Umpire, F. E. Goldsmith, London.

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TORONTO WINS 2 GAMES.

ONE AT CRICKET AND THE OTHER AT BASEBALL.

The Clippers Beat the Primroses—The Box Sports Club Tournament at the Number—Racing at Saratoga, Brighton Beach and Other Places.

Yesterday the Torontos proved they knew how to play ball, and beat the Maple Leafs of Guelph by 11 runs to 2. McKinley was in the box and gave evidence that he was far more reliable in that position than either at short or third. From the beginning to the end he pitched a magnificent game, the Leafs only getting their work in for three base hits. He was also admirably supported by O'Rourke behind the bat, and by the fielders. But four errors had to be recorded against the Torontos, one going to the credit of "Alderman" Smith at short, the only one

"Alderman" Smith at short, the only one in the field, another to O'Rourke, and McKinley giving bases to two men on balls. Spence at third, his old-time position, Wade at left, Sheffler at centre and Kavanagh at first were invincible. Wade and Sheffler both made some admirable running catches. Macklin at second had comparatively little to do, but that little he did well, each time getting his man out. Stemmyer played at right field, being unable to pitch owing to a bad hand. In the second innings he completed his reputation for ill-luck since he has been here by spraining his ankle so badly while running to second base that he had to leave the field, Delaney, who appeared in the particular suit of the licensed victuallers, being telephoned for. Delaney by no means proved himself a weakness. On the contrary at his first attempt in the field he magnificently took a fly, rolling over in doing so, owing to the size of Stemmyer's boots, and at his second essay with the bat he made the hit of the day, a beautiful three-bagger, away beyond centre field.

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The Leafs gave a poor exhibition of batting and a worse display of fielding, their error column being particularly full. Flies were almost certain to be muffed and several instances of wild throwing had to be noted. Fitzgerald, the pitcher—a new man from Oswego, by the way—was hit pretty freely and he was so badly supported on the field as to make his work disheartening. Purvis was all there behind the bat, but hard as he tried he was unable to retrieve the fortunes of the day. Fred. Goldsmith's umpiring was an absolute treat for its business-like method, promptness and impartiality.

Torontos.	a.b.	r.	b.h.	t.b.	p.o.	a.	e.
Macklin, 2b.....	5	1	1	1	0	2	0
O'Rourke, c.....	5	1	0	0	5	1	1
Smith, s. s.....	5	2	1	1	0	2	1
Stemmyer, r.f.....	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
Delaney, sub.....	3	1	1	3	1	0	0
Sheffler, c.f.....	4	2	1	1	3	0	0
Spence, 3 b.....	5	0	1	2	0	4	0
Kavanagh, 1b.....	5	0	1	1	13	0	0
Wade, l.f.....	4	2	0	0	4	0	0
McKinley, p.....	3	1	2	2	1	12	2
Total.....	41	11	8	11	27	21	4
Maple Leafs	a.b.	r.	b.h.	t.b.	p.o.	a.	e.
Maddock, 2 b.....	4	0	0	0	7	1	0
Wright, c.f.....	4	1	1	1	4	0	2
Atkinson, 1 and 3 b.....	4	0	1	1	3	2	1
Dyson, r.f.....	4	0	1	1	0	0	1
Purvis, c.....	3	0	0	0	5	3	2
Fitzgerald, p.....	3	1	0	0	1	10	3
Bickers, l.f.....	3	0	0	0	1	0	3
Dillon, 3 and 1 b.....	3	0	0	0	5	1	3
Cockman, s.s.....	3	0	0	0	1	4	2
Total.....	31	2	3	3	27	21	17
Torontos.....	0	0	3	0	5	2	1
Maple Leafs.....	0	0	0	1	0	0	1

Bases on called balls, off McKinley 2, off Fitzgerald 2. Struck out, by McKinley 5, Fitzgerald 4. Passed balls, Purvis 1, O'Rourke 1. Two-base hit, Spence 1. Three-base hit, Delaney 1. Left on bases, Guelphs 3, Torontos 6. Umpire, Fred. Goldsmith, London.

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CHICAGOED BY LONDON.

THE TORONTOS DONE UP TO THE TUNE OF FIVE TO NOTHING.

A Few Words to the Management—Entries for the Canadian Association Regatta—Manian at Detroit.

Once more it is a tale of defeat. The Torontos met the Londons at baseball yesterday, and, as things have been going, it is almost unnecessary to say any more to indicate the result. They were beaten. Although Smith and Kavanagh made unfortunate errors at awkward times, the former two, and the latter one, it was not the fielding that beat them, but their entire inability to bat a pitcher whom other clubs have not found so extremely difficult to hit. As a matter of fact the Londons made more errors than the Torontos, but their superior batting and judicious base-

Torontos, but their superior batting ability and judicious baserunning gave them the victory. In both these respects the Torontos are deficient. Their particular weakness is in trying to steal bases when they have no earthly chance of getting them. There are but one or two good runners on the team, and for any others to try and get their work in on bases is extremely hazardous. However they are foolhardy enough to try, and get left accordingly.

It is unnecessary to go into details of yesterday's game. The Torontos went out fairly regularly in one, two, three order, while the hits of Dunn, Smith and Campau, aided by the fielding errors previously spoken of, gave the Londons their five runs. McKinley pitched in good form throughout, only one man getting his base off balls, while Seward had three. O'Rourke's catching could hardly be surpassed. In fact, the Torontos have good reason to congratulate themselves upon having so good a change battery to fall back upon. Spence showed his usual good judgment at third base, earning 4 assists, while Macklin secured only one less at second. Sheffer in the outfield, as he

second. Sheffer in the outfield, as he always is, was thoroughly reliable, and took a couple of good ones on the fly.

The Londons play ball for all it is worth. If they don't win the pennant it will hardly be because they don't deserve it. They are a rattling good working team and are well captained. Fred Goldsmith's umpiring was as usual exemplary.

Londons	a.b.	r.	b.h.	t.b.	p.o.	a.	e.
Thomson, c.....	4	0	0	0	10	0	1
Dunn, 2b.....	4	1	1	3	5	3	2
Smith, 3b.....	4	1	1	3	1	1	0
Knight, c.f.....	4	1	0	0	0	1	0
Seward, p.....	4	1	0	0	1	9	3
Connors, 1f.....	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Campau, 1b.....	3	1	0	2	8	0	0
Pelouze, r.f.....	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Quinn, s.s.....	3	0	0	0	2	1	1
Total.....	34	5	4	7	27	15	7
Torontos	a.b.	r.	b.h.	t.b.	p.o.	a.	e.
O'Rourke, c.....	2	0	2	2	3	3	1
Smith, s. a.....	4	0	0	0	2	2	2
Sheffer, c.f.....	4	0	0	0	2	0	0
Spence 3b.....	4	0	0	0	1	4	0
Delaney, 1f.....	3	0	0	0	14	0	1
Kavanaugh, 1b.....	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
Wade, l.f.....	2	0	0	0	0	3	0
Macklin, 2b.....	3	0	0	0	3	5	1
McKinley, p.....	2	0	2	2	27	17	5
Total.....	28	0	2	2	27	17	5
Londons.....	0	0	1	0	0	2	5
Torontos.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Earned runs, London 3. Struck out, by Seward 4, by McKinley 4. Bases on called balls off Seward 3, off McKinley 1. Left on bases, Londons 3, Toronto 4. Double play, Seward, Dunn and Campau. Dunn and Quinn. Passed ball, O'Rourke 1. Time of game 1 hr. 22 mins. Attendance 1000. Umpire, Fred Goldsmith. London.

The Toronto Baseball Nine.

It is becoming monotonous, this series of defeats. It is true there is an occasional hiatus in the record, when the tail of the kite looms in view, but then there are oases in the Egyptian deserts and yet those same deserts are still not pleasant roads for travelers. The fact is the Toronto team is not able to cope in its present state with any nine that has pretensions to play. There is scarcely a man in the crowd that can bat decently, and in the field they can invariably be depended on for one or more costly errors. It is true the club has experienced hard luck in having Stemmyer disabled and Reid laid up, but these things are the natural appurtenances of a baseball nine and as far as possible should be guarded against by having two or three spare men, and above all, a change battery, who should not be required to play in the field on their off days. One thing the directors may be sure of, and that is that a pious policy will not pay. Toronto offered, and does still offer, an excellent field for a first class baseball club, but it must be as near as

Two local nines, the Olympie and Monitors, played a well-contested game at Metropolitan Park yesterday, before about 500 spectators. The score was:

Olympie.....	1	3	0	1	0	1	0	0	0-6
Monitors.....	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0-2
Base hits—Olympie, 11; Monitors, 8. Errors—Olympie, 6; Monitors, 7. Pitchers—Casey and McCabe.									

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possible first class in every particular. It must be able not only to pluck the tail of the kite but to win against decent clubs. At present the Toronto club cannot do so. They may perchance secure an occasional victory, but it is safe to bet that it will be more owing to the blunders of their opponent than to any particular merit of their own. A good club means increased gate receipts, but a non-winning organization means a dropping off until the benches will present a lamentable spectacle of emptiness. It is, therefore, to the interests of the directors to allow nothing reasonable to stand in their way as regards the procuring of a good nine. Other clubs appear able to secure acquisition, why not the Torontos? The gate receipts here on a mid-week-day are as large as they are elsewhere on a Saturday, and there is no good excuse consequently for not having a reputable nine, that is, if money can attain that object, and we believe it can. Report has it that even now the Toronto team is the most expensive in the league. In that case there is no reason why it should not be the best.

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